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*The decision on whether or not to reschedule the Monday meeting is left to General Walters

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1. THERE IS OF COURSE SOME POSSIBILITY THAT GENERAL WALTERS' VISIT TO [REDACTED] MIGHT COME TO THE ATTENTION OF THE PRESS OR SOME [REDACTED] FEELS IT UNLIKELY THAT VISIT WOULD COME TO PUBLIC ATTENTION; COS WOULD NOT GO QUITE THAT FAR. NEITHER IS [REDACTED] TOO CONCERNED IF OTHER OFFICERS LEARN ABOUT THE VISIT AS LONG AS IT NOT TOO SECRETIVE. THERE IS, IN SUM, SOME POSSIBILITY OF GENERAL WALTERS' VISIT BECOMING KNOWN, AND [REDACTED] WANT TO BE IN BEST POSITION TO EXPLAIN IT IF THEY HAVE TO.

2. COS HAS A SUGGESTION. [REDACTED] HAS ACCEPTED THE IDEA OF A LATER VISIT, HAS ALREADY BEEN ASSURED HIGH-LEVEL [REDACTED] INTEREST THROUGH THESE EXCHANGES. STATION DOES NOT BELIEVE HE OR [REDACTED] BELIEVE THE RUMORS OF [REDACTED] WHICH PERHAPS REMOVES SOME OF THE URGENCY.

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25X1 IF IT WERE POSSIBLE TO RESCHEDULE THE VISIT FOR THE END OF GENERAL
WALTERS' TRIP TO [] OR EVEN LATER, THINGS WOULD HAVE QUIETED
DOWN MORE AT THE [] AND THERE WOULD BE EVEN LESS LIKELIHOOD
OF THE PRESS KNOWING. OR, ALTERNATIVELY, WE WOULD HAVE MORE TIME
TO ATTEMPT ESTABLISH OUR NEW LIAISON LINKS AND TO PERSUADE THE
25X1 [] TO HANDLE THE VISIT AT A MORE ACCEPTABLE LEVEL OF
DISCRETION.

25X1 3. FYI: THE [] STILL HAS HIS APPOINTMENT WITH [] 25X1
FOR 20 MAY. E2 IMPDET.

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